

**Amendment and Response and Examiner Interview Summary**

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**REMARKS**

The following remarks are made in response to the above summarized telephonic Examiner Interview of June 20, 2005 and the Office Action dated June 27, 2005. With this response, claims 2, 14, and 26 are amended. Claim 27 is cancelled without prejudice. Claims 2, 4-14, and 16-27 remain pending in the application and are presented for consideration and allowance.

Applicants have also amended the specification to correct a typographical error at page 37, line 17. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner approve this amendment to the specification.

In the above summarized Examiner Interview of June 20, 2005 and the Office Action dated June 27, 2005, the Examiner agreed the application is in condition for allowance subject to the above amendments which clarify IR(i) and IR(i+1) in the claims and combine the limitations of dependent claim 27 into independent claim 26.

Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the rejections and allow pending claims 2, 4-14, and 16-27.

**CONCLUSION**

No fees are required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(h)(i). However, if such fees are required, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the Applicants' representative at the below-listed numbers to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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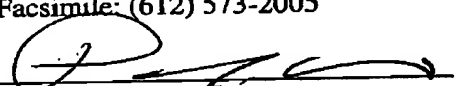
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